## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Crim. No. 12-204 (MLC)

V.

ORDER PURSUANT TO

C. TATE GEORGE,

FARETTA HEARING

Defendant.

This matter having come before the Court on December 3, 2014, the return date of the pending Order Scheduling Faretta Hearing (dkt. entry no. 126); and the parties attending that hearing being Joseph Shumofsky, AUSA, for the government, and defendant C. Tate George (his counsel of record, Andrew T. McDonald, Esq., not having appeared but having previously, at a hearing on November 21, 2014, requested leave to withdraw as defense counsel); and the Court having conducted an evidentiary hearing pursuant to Faretta v. California, 422 U.S. 806 (1975) and relevant case law; and the Court having made findings and conclusions in an oral opinion at the close of the hearing; and for the reasons stated on the record;

IT IS THEREFORE on this 4th day of December, 2014, **ORDERED** that defendant C. Tate George is hereby granted leave to enter his appearance <u>pro se</u> to represent himself and his interests in this action.

s/ Mary L. Cooper

MARY L. COOPER

United States District Judge

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